AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please add the following paragraphs:

[0037.1] Figure 13C is a three-dimensional perspective view of the aspect of exemplary embodiment of the invention illustrated in Figure 13B.

[0074.1] FIG. 13C illustrates a three dimensional view of the exemplary plank 130 illustrated schematically in FIG. 13B. This three-dimensional illustration of plank 130 is not drawn to scale, but rather exaggerates for purposes of clarity the relative geometries of the elements 132, 134, 136, 138a, 138b, and 138c in this aspect of the invention.